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The Passionist order will build a big novitiate or training school for young men near Wilkesbarre, Pa.

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A Bitter Fight.

A bitter fight has been begun between Texas miners and their employers.

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Then a Cramp Showed the Swimmer the Error of His Ways.

"I shall never be impolite to ghosts again," said a gentleman who has just returned from a cruise along the Gulf coast, to a writer for the New Orleans Times-Democrat. "On our return from Horn island we stopped at the mouth of the Pascagoula river, where the bathing and swimming are excellent. The water is deep a few feet away from the shore, and when the tide comes in with a rush from the Gulf, the water is salt and invigorating. As much as I had been along the Gulf coast, I had never heard the legend of the Pascagoula, which, as everyone else knows, is to the effect that this tribe of Indians rather than fall into the hands of enemies, who had surrounded them, plunged into the river, men, women and children, singing their songs and playing music, and thus died together in the hope of a glorious resurrection. Since that time, on quiet evenings, I have heard heard along the banks of the river, or in the daytime it may be heard plunging beneath the surface of the water. A long-legged Dutchman of our party took the first dive. He came up in an excited manner and told us that he had heard music near the bottom. A wise one of the party then recounted the legend and said that anyone who cared to dive would be able to hear the same strains that the Dutchman had heard. I was skeptical and suspicious. I thought that it was some trick on the order of those that men or boys generally put on each other when in swimming together. However, I plunged in, blowing out my breath before doing so, and went down like a piece of lead to the bottom. To my great surprise, I heard a mournful, monotonous sound. It was palpable, weird and mysterious. It was not grand opera, or even ragtime, but it was music. However, when I had risen to the surface and had regained my wind and blown the water out of my system, I was still inclined to be funny about the music. I made a number of remarks as to the poor ability of the Indian ghost, and suggested among other things that they should improve their repertoire. The Dutchman warned me against saying anything that might offend the ghosts and I laughed at him. My laugh lasted only a few minutes, however, for as I started to swim into midstream, a grip of iron seized me by the ankle and pulled me under the water. As I went down I shouted and waved my arms frantically. As the water gurgled about my ears, I imagined I saw or, every side of me fierce and angry Indian faces. That is all I remember. Two men of the party had dived for me and brought me to the surface. When I regained consciousness, I was lying on the bank of the schooner. My friends said I had been seized with a cramp, but it was no cramp that caught me by the ankle. At any rate I am not making any more pet remarks about the music of the Pascagoula."

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Was Delighted at Finding View Cut Off at a Ball Game.

"At one time," says an inventor, according to the New York Sun, "I feared that the wide-spread adoption by women of the custom of removing their hats in theaters had deprived me of the fruits of an invention which I had spent many weary hours, weeks and months in perfecting. The use of my binocular theatroscope, by the use of which one could look right around any obstruction whatever that might be in front of him, around the largest and opquest of picture hats, for instance, as easily as anything, and see the stage and everybody on it as plainly as he could with an unobstructed view."

"I had this great invention, which promised to yield me a large fortune, all but ready to put on the market when, as though by common impulse, women all over the country adopted the custom of taking off their hats in the theater, and all my time and labor spent on the binocular theatroscope seemed to be lost."

"At a ball game, the first I had attended in years, that I went to the other day with the hope that I might forget for the moment the excitement of the game the wreck of my hopes of fortune. I had an experience that filled me with great joy."

"I had a very good seat, one from which I had a good view of the diamond and in fact of the whole field—until the seats immediately in front of me were occupied; and then I couldn't see anything at all."

"Those seats were taken by two young women in picture hats, which cut off my view as completely as if I had been a cut off for a range of mountains. I couldn't see the home plate now, nor the second base, nor any other base; not even the field."

"They might have run the bases in automobiles and caught flies in crab nets, and I'd never have known the difference. But this situation filled me with great delight nevertheless, for what a prospect this all opened up for my binocular theatroscope! More needed here than ever it had been in the theater, and what a boon it would be."

"And so I sat there through the game, never seeing a thing, but enjoying the game more than I had ever enjoyed a game before, dreaming of the fortune that would yet be mine if I could get the binocular theatroscope finished and on the market before women came to be taking off their hats in the grandstand at the ball grounds, as they have so long been doing in the theaters."

KILLED BY FEAR.

Buffalo Bull Died When He Heard the Locomotive Whistle.

"Although I was on the plain when buffaloes were there by hundreds of thousands," said an old-time locomotive engineer, "I never killed but one, and I didn't want to do that." The experience happened during the year in which the Santa Fe railroad was opened up through Kansas, and the engineer's story is a part of an interview which he had with a writer for the New York Sun. "One day," said the engineer, "my train was held up not far from Dodge City, Kan., by a great herd of buffaloes that were traveling south. I ran as near the herd as I could get, and then stopped to wait until it passed. For I might as well have dashed my engine against a stone wall as tried to force a way through that living mass."

"Of the buffaloes that could see us—those on the edge of the herd—only one seemed to be disturbed by our intrusion on that vast prairie, and this was an enormous bull. He actually trembled and shivered above his fellows. He was near the head of the column, and left the ranks when he stepped upon the railroad. He advanced toward the locomotive until he was within a few yards of it. Then, with his nose to the ground, he pawed the dirt and belched and snorted defiance, showing every disposition to resist our coming into his domain."

"As he stood there in the middle of the track in this challenging attitude, I pulled my whistle valve wide open. Such a wild, piercing, hair-raising shriek as that locomotive bell go had never split the air in that country before. It struck the great bull with such terror that he rose on his hind feet as if he had been shot by a blast. An instant he stood that way, terrorized, and then he toppled over like a falling tree and came down in a heap across the track, making everything tremble. He was dead, literally frightened to death by the shriek of that locomotive."

The September American Boy.

From cover to cover this issue is filled with good things for boys. There are eighteen stories of exceptional interest, suited to every kind of boy. The cover page is a spirited representation of a Bronco Rider. "A Piece of Pie" tells about a boy and what came of his craving for blueberry pie. "Maling Collections" will appeal to the boys and their sisters who have been "collecting" hobby.

"Toby By" is a fine story of a sacrificing sister to enable her brother to obtain an education. "Trapping a Wild Goose" teaches kindness to animals. Waldon Fawcett writes of "The Horses of the Roosevelt" with pictures of the President's hunters and Archie Roosevelt's pony, Algonquin. "Painting the Dome of the United States Capitol," with three fine pictures, tells of the dangerous nature of the undertaking. "Broncos and Bronco Riders" will appeal to all boys who love horses. Some of the other stories are "Lone Island," "In the Trap of a Bear," "When Rama Killed the Elk," "Browning's Sacrifice," a baseball story: "Two Defenders," "A Boy of Old Vendome," "Measure for Measure," "Two of a Kind," "A Seventh Son," also the final installment of Mrs. Gabrielle E. Jackson's fine story, "Three Good Crones."

The many practical, helpful departments which have been so great a feature of this best boy's paper in the world are continued, and, altogether, this number will be marked as winner by over 110,000 families into whose homes it enters regularly every month. Published by the Sprague Publishing Company, Detroit, Mich. \$1.00 a year; sample copies ten cents each.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

The Indifferent Voter.

Canada, as well as the United States, is troubled by the indifferent voter, and is trying to devise a way to bring him to the polls. At Ottawa the Dominion election committee has decided to recommend to the House a law whereby any qualified voter failing to cast his ballot shall be deprived of the right to do so at the next general election. No one proposes, however, that in towns where a majority of the voters stay away from the polls at a local election, all the voters of that town shall be disfranchised forever, including even the public spirited citizens who do not record their votes. Such a proposition would be laughed at as absurd. Yet that is exactly the way that many persons still reason in regard to women. The majority of women, we are told, are indifferent on the suffrage question; and until the majority of women wish to vote, the public-spirited who do wish it must be forcibly debarrd from the ballot box.

Statistics show that, except at presidential elections, the majority of the men in the United States do not vote generally. The persons who wish to cast their ballots are a minority, whether among men or women. But why should the public spirited minority among women, any more than the public spirited minority among men, be debarrd because of the indifference of the majority? Only because we are not yet educated up to the point of seeing that since for the goose is sauce for the gander.

We need at the ballot box all the civic virtue and public-spirit the country has. Let it be those women who possess these qualities, there are thousands of such—and most of them will manage to bring their husbands to the polls, along with them.

ALICE STONE BLACKWELL.

Don't Like School Law.

Clarksville, Tenn., Sept. 11.—The public schools of Montgomery county have all opened for the fall term. The attendance is good in all sections of the county. The operations of the new school law passed by the last General Assembly are not pleasing to many of the people in the rural districts, and in some instances private schools have been started by private subscription from the citizens.

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Illinois Central R. R.

Of Interest to STOCKHOLDERS.

Free Transportation to Attend the Annual Meeting at Chicago.

Public notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Illinois Central Railroad Company will be held at its offices in Chicago, Illinois, on Wednesday, October 21, 1903, at twelve o'clock noon.

To permit personal attendance at said meeting there will be issued to each holder of one or more shares of the capital stock of the Illinois Central Railroad Company as registered on the books of the company at the office of business on Tuesday, September 29, 1903, who is of full age, a ticket enabling him, or her, to travel free over the company's lines from any station on the Illinois Central railroad nearest to his or her registered address to Chicago and return, such ticket to be good for the journey to Chicago only during the four days immediately preceding, and the day of the meeting, and for the return journey from Chicago only on the day of the meeting, and the four days immediately following, when properly countersigned and stamped during business hours.

Business hours in this case are between 9:00 a. m. and 2:00 p. m.—the office of the Assistant Secretary, Mr. W. G. Bruen, in Chicago. Such ticket may be obtained by any holder of stock registered as above, on application, in writing to the President of the company in Chicago, with the number and date of such certificate. No more than one person will be carried free in respect to any one holding of stock as registered on the books of the company.

A. G. HACKSTAFF, Secretary.

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Announcements.

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WALTER S. ELGIN as the business men's candidate for Comptroller from the First Ward. Election Nov. 3, 1903.

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M. G. FOLBERG as the business men's candidate for Comptroller from the Second Ward. Election Nov. 3, 1903.

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B. W. H. HALL as the business men's candidate for Comptroller from the Third Ward. Election Nov. 3, 1903.

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D. H. JACKSON as a candidate for reelection as Comptroller from the Sixth Ward, at the November election. Election, November 1903.

We are authorized to announce

JOHN B. GALLERATH, of the Second Ward, a candidate for reelection as Comptroller, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Election, November 1903.

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LOYD W. WHITLOW as the business men's candidate for the Second Ward, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Election, Nov. 1903.

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Galveston's Commerce.

The Galveston News of Sept. 1 contains a synopsis of the commerce of the port of Galveston for the trade year just closed which shows the breaking of many records. Galveston's total cotton receipts for 1902-03, 2,033,070 bales, compared with 2,090,710 bales for 1901-02. Galveston's bank clearings for the year just closed were \$413,185,000, an increase of \$40,946,200 over the preceding year. During the past year the port of Galveston advanced from fourth to third place in its rank among exporting ports of the United States. The total value of Galveston's foreign imports and exports during the past year was \$105,632,087, compared with a total business of \$97,691,312 for 1901-02. The total value of goods handled over the Galveston wharves during the year just closed was \$447,910,707, compared with a valuation of \$246,567,246 for 1901-02, showing an increase of \$201,343,461.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Dr. H. H. H. H.

Literary Notes for October.

Conspicuous among the October fashion magazines is the *Delicador*. It presents charming and up-to-date American styles, valuable illustrated articles on topics of fashion, as well as literary contents of high standard. The *Evolution of a Club Woman*, a serial story, by Agnes Surbridge, which begins in this number, treats a fundamental question of the feminine world—the women's club—and promises to be extremely interesting. It is an autobiography—a story of fact, but more fascinating than fiction. Also in this number appears the first of a remarkable series of photograph articles, in which J. C. Hemment, the well known photographer, relates his adventures with the camera at home and in foreign lands. His war experiences, which constitute the first paper, are thrilling and his personal recollections of the stirring events in which he took are absorbingly interesting, as well as of historical value. In fiction there is an excellent story, entitled *The Silent Partner*, by Lynn Roby Meekins, and the second part of *A Florida Cracker*, Virginia Frazer Boyle's quaint story of a Florida Hamlet. Home-building, particularly the sentimental side of it, is written of by Clara E. Laughlin, and N. Hudson Moore has a delightful paper on *Lilies*. In "Carlotto and I," a unique cookery series presenting practical culinary advice in the guise of fiction, Miss Bradford tells the story of the wedding dinner. An ideal suburban dwelling is shown, and a couple of pages of Historic Slippers are other features. The Children's Department includes a *Firelight Story*, by Sally Loom's Tea Party, by Livingston B. Morse, an amusing tale by Jean M. Thompson, called *The Sentence of the Brown Owl*; the continuation of the *Hanging Gardens of Babylon*, by Lina Beard, and the helpful *Sewing lesson*, by Lucy Batram. Of particular interest are the articles on *The Child's Room*, on *Gardening*, on *House-keeping* and *Culinary topics*, on the recent books, on *Childhood*, on the *Hygienic of Clothing*, the *College and Club Notes*, etc.

Indiana Poetry.

The "limit" of poor verse has been reached by a Hoosier who feels worthy writes:

"The poor, benighted Hindoo, He does the best he kin do: He sticks to his caste from first to last, And for pants he makes the skin do."

Too many people make the skin do the work that the bowels and kidneys should do. A bilious, constipated condition means a yellow skin, lustrous eyes, foul breath, and a general worn out feeling. All this can be remedied by the use of Dr. Caldwell's (Laxative) Syrup Pepsin, which is sold by all druggists and dealers in medicine.

Kentucky Soldiers.

Gen. Tasker H. Bliss, of the regular army, has been detailed to command the Fourth provisional brigade of troops at West Point. The brigade will be made up entirely of Kentucky State guardsmen.

ONE WOMAN'S PLUCK.

How Bravely She Helped Her Husband to Better Himself.

One afternoon in the fall of 1899 a woman came into the office of the superintendent of one of New York city's free clinical schools. She said: "I am from ———, Ill.; it's a little place that you may never have heard of. My husband and I were born and raised there, and we've got four children. He's a carpenter. We've been thinking for several years now that we ought to do something to get out in the world. And finally we decided that we couldn't begin younger. So we packed up and came. We want to learn to be builders. He's going to get a job as carpenter here and I'm going to go to school and learn drawing and the building business generally. He'll go to night school and I'll teach him what I learn too."

The superintendent tried not to show his surprise at what was in his mind. For the woman was about 30 years old but looked 45, so thin and stooped and badly groomed and badly dressed was she. And she had that dazed expression which a person who has never been in the city wears when he is about to enter it for the first time. The superintendent tried to discourage her, but she seemed unable to comprehend what he was saying, and at each pause returned to her original proposal with a doggedness that seemed as stupid as it was irritating.

She entered a drawing class and set to work. Her husband could get nothing to do in New York—he was not a member of a trades union and couldn't get into one. A place on a job in Porto Rico was offered to him and he went, sending out of his wages the money for the support of his wife and the little one. The woman worked hard at the school and soon surprised the superintendent. Her face lost the dazed "down-trodden" expression. She learned how to do her hair and how to put on her clothes and how to carry herself. Also she learned her lessons at school—she wasn't brilliant, but she was indefatigable and desperately in earnest.

After two years her husband returned from Porto Rico and she and he and the children went back to Illinois as poor as when they came.

And the middle of last month the superintendent got a letter from the woman, says the Philadelphia Saturday Evening Post, saying that they were doing well, that they had just got their first big contract and were practically certain to clear a large sum on it.

DESTRUCTION OF MONEY.

Methods Employed by the Different Governments.

"Few persons are aware that a Bank of England note leaves that bank but once, and the moment the old lady of Threadneedle street regains possession of the crisp sheet of paper its doom is sealed, even though it has been but five minutes in circulation," said H. J. Carmichael, a London banker, to a Washington Starman at the Arlington.

"Like the Imperial bank of Germany, our national banking institution destroys its old note by fire; but the Bank of France and the United States Treasury prefer to destroy old paper currency by chemical processes, though the first mentioned used also to indulge in bank-note bonfires."

"Every year notes of the face value of \$18,000,000 are consigned to the flames in the Bank of England furnace; not all at once, of course, for that would be an operation too long and monotonous for the officials who must be present to witness it to take at one sitting."

"Before they are burned a hole is punched through the figure giving the value, and the chief clerk's signature is torn off. The notes are packed into the furnace while the officials look on, the fire is lighted, and in a short while a little ash is all that remains of what at one time represented many thousands of British sovereigns."

"The Imperial Bank of Germany burns over 100,000,000 notes yearly. It seems that such a number should represent a truly colossal sum; but, then, many of them are for small amounts and the majority for not more than five marks."

"Twelve million pounds is the amount representing the annual destruction of 600,000 notes of the Bank of France. They used to be burned in a cage rotating over a huge fire, but now they are reduced to a pulp in the presence of several directors, after being punched and stamped 'cancelled.' Such destructions take place every fortnight."

AN ESCAPE FROM PRISON.

Remarkable Achievement of the Prince of Adventurers.

A fine type of attractive rogues was Jacques Casanova di Seingalt, styled the Prince of Adventurers, the gentlemanly scoundrel who for over half a century ranged at full will over Europe a debonair free lance, taking to himself a most unfair proportion of this world's goods, interviewing popes and sovereigns on equal terms, cheating men and betraying women.

A proud rogue, too, says the Edinburgh Scotsman, was Casanova; with an entire lack of honor in his dealings with others, he coupled a striking amount of "amour propre," and his affairs of honor may be counted in his tens. Besides his more casual inquiries, Casanova managed to fall foul of the authorities by his dabbling in black magic, and, having incautiously boasted of certain interviews with the Almighty, was incarcerated by the inquisition, out of the way of further mischief.

But liberty was to Casanova as the breath of life. Get out he must! The cell in which he found himself confined was small, secure and closely guarded. Pen and ink and knife were forbidden luxuries, and the captive's sole recreation was to walk in a narrow corridor where old lumber had accumulated.

Here he discovered one day a small block of marble which he secured. Later an iron bolt came into his hand by accident, and with these crude tools worked together he managed to make quite a respectable weapon, file, hammer and ax in one. But how to use it? His own cell was impenetrable from within; he must have collusion from without.

In an adjacent cell was imprisoned a monk, one Father Balbi, with whom Casanova was allowed to exchange books and whom long imprisonment had rendered less closely guarded. With mulberry juice and a sharpened fingernail Casanova wrote instructions in books to his accomplice, who was to make his way to the roof and open from the leads a hole into the ceiling of Casanova's cell. The ingenious rogue supplied the plot and the tool; Father Balbi was to do the work.

The improvised weapon of deliverance was secretly conveyed by the gaoler to Balbi in the following way: He persuaded the gaoler, a good-natured fellow, to buy him an extra large Bible, intending to cut away the pages and hide the tool in it; but to his distress he found that it was too long and stuck out two inches at either end. To conquer this difficulty Casanova turned cook; he obtained a quantity of macaroni and prepared with butter a tempting Michaelmas dish, almost running over. Placing the dish on the Bible, which it quite hid, with the bolt half concealed between its covers, Casanova requested the gaoler to carry it with his compliments to Balbi.

The man obeyed, unsuspecting, and returned to report that not a drop of the butter was split. In a few days Casanova heard the delightful sound of his faithful friend working stealthily but steadily overhead, the noise coming nearer as lead roofing beams and joists gave way to the file. As the last day's work was being done—Balbi had even made a tiny hole of communication in the ceiling—an awful accident occurred. A spy of the inquisition came to share Casanova's cell and captivity—a fellow who was not to be trusted or relied upon for a moment.

With a daring almost incredible Casanova speedily frightened the newcomer out of his wits by certain awful incantations, telling him that his entry had disturbed the Divine presence. He bade him engage in prayer and cover his eyes, for at a certain hour the Blessed Virgin would appear in the roof and set the chosen free and the unprepared would assuredly perish at the sight. The stranger was at first incredulous, but when the sound of muffled hammering commenced overhead he believed the tale and prayed with might and main. To cut a long story short, Casanova got safely away and cut clear of Italy, to continue his exciting career in another state. Though his imprisonment was doubtless richly merited, we cannot but think his industry and ingenuity deserved to be rewarded with success.

Don't Explain.

Never stop to explain your actions. People prefer to form their own opinions and won't believe you anyway.—Chicago Daily News.

Need of Enthusiasm.

If one has enough enthusiasm he can do almost anything. The trouble is to work up the enthusiasm.—Chicago Record-Herald.

A TAILOR'S BACK.

It's Like Many Other Bad Backs In Hopkinsville. Relief is at Hand.

The tailor at his bench, The clerk at his desk, The engineer at the throttle, The busy housewife, All have bad backs. Vastly annoying, but always cured by Doan's Kidney Pills. A Hopkinsville merchant tells of a cure.

Edw. J. Duncan, merchant tailor, at 11 W. Seventh street, living at 119 East Nineteenth street, says: "Backache was by no means an enviable companion for any one who follows my occupation. It is extremely uncomfortable to remain in a sitting posture and an aching in the small of the back makes such work a continual torture. I suffered in this way, off and on for years, and it is no wonder that I heartily wished that I might find something to bring me even the least relief. I first noticed Doan's Kidney Pills, through reading papers sent to me from my native country, England, and was impressed with the merits of this remedy and when soon afterwards I noticed similar local advertisements I went at once to Thomas & Trahern's drug store and got a box. I had used them only a short time when I found that I had procured the right remedy. The headache which had so distressed me left and the pains in my back were greatly relieved. I am convinced from my experience that Doan's Kidney Pills are a wonderful remedy."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

Shot and Killed.

Eugene Phillips was shot and killed by Marshall John Guess in Deaneville, Davies county, while resisting arrest. Guess was shot and seriously wounded by Phillips before he killed his man.

Stomach Trouble.

"I have been troubled with my stomach for the past four years," says D. L. Beach, of Clover Nook Farm, Greenfield, Mass. "A few days ago I was induced to buy a box of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. I have taken part of them and feel a great deal better." If you have any trouble with your stomach try a box of these tablets. You are certain to be pleased with the result. Price 25 cents. For sale by C. K. Wyly, druggist.

Fell Dead.

While discussing sudden deaths with a number of women at her home in Davies county, Mrs. J. S. M. Royal fell dead.

Mr. D. P. Daugherty, well known throughout Mercer and Sumner counties, W. Va., most likely owes his life to the kindness of a neighbor. He was almost hopelessly afflicted with diarrhoea; was attended by two physicians who gave him little if any relief, when a neighbor, learning of his serious condition, brought him a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which he took in less than twenty-four hours. For sale by C. W. Wyly.

Charged With Murder.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Weaks are in jail at Bedford, Ind., charged with the murder of Mrs. Susacah Ireland, who was supposed to have committed suicide.

You Know What You Are Taking When you take Grove's Tasteless Chilli Tonic because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle and it is the kindness of a neighbor. Quinine is a tasteless form. No Cure, No Pay. 50c.

Thrown Into a Panic.

A large crowd at a circus at Anthony, Kas., was thrown into a panic by a storm, which blew down the tent. One hundred were hurt.

"Now good digestion waits on appetite, and health on both." If it doesn't try Burdock Blood Bitters.

Compromised With Railroad.

Mr. W. W. Morehead, of Burkesville, Ky., who was so very seriously hurt in the railroad wreck on Muldraugh's Hill has compromised his case with the L. & N. railroad for the sum of \$12,000, the railroad paying all his expenses.—Glasgow Times.

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

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Railroad Commissioner—W. D. FERGUSON.
Circuit Judge—THOS. P. COOK.
Commonwealth's Attorney—DENNY P. SMITH.

Ollie James has declined home and John Rhea will campaign with Gov. Beckham this week.

The fourteen shows of the Ferrari Bros. Carnival have been added to the attractions for the State Fair at Owensboro next week.

Caleb Powers' speech to the jury that convicted him is shortly to be published in book form and sold at 25 cents.

Col. Richard T. Jacob, long a prominent citizen of Louisville, died Sunday night, of paralysis, aged 78 years.

Gov. Beckham's appointments now run up to September 26 at Olive Hill. The plan is to close the campaign in Western Kentucky.

Frank Day, driver of Oldfield's celebrated "Red Devil" automobile, while racing at Milwaukee to beat the record, was killed and the machine smashed to pieces in a collision with a fence.

The Christian Observer, now 30 years old, is the oldest religious newspaper in the world. It is a Presbyterian organ published in Louisville and Rev. Francis R. Beattie, the well-known pulpit orator, is one of its editors.

Belknap's speech at Munfordsville Saturday, formally opening the campaign for Governor, was attended by many of the leading Republican politicians Gen. Simon Bolivar Buckner, Col. Belknap's father-in-law, presided.

Major D. A. Yeiser was renominated for Mayor of Paducah in Saturday's primary election. Most of the other old officers were also renominated, among them our former Hopkinsville friend, Gus Singleton, for Alderman.

Jasper King, the juror who saved Jett and White from a death sentence at Cythiana, has been indicted for false swearing and is also on trial for contempt of court. He is fighting hard to extricate himself from what appears to be a very serious predicament. King appears careworn and in much mental distress. The penitentiary stares him in the face.

King Peter, of Serbia, is in constant apprehension lest he be assassinated. He has ordered the guards at the palace doubled and fourteen Swiss guards are on duty at the door of his bedchamber. A rope ladder is kept in readiness and a boat drawn up in the river near the palace. Uneasy lies the head that wears the crown, especially when the crown is stained with blood.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured
by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a running nose or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and the tube restored to its normal hearing will be destroyed forever. Nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by Catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.
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Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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How it reddens the skin, itches, oozes, dries and scales.
Some people call it better, milk crust or salt rheum.
The suffering from it is sometimes intense; local applications are resorted to; but the only permanent cure is Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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Hood's Pills are the best cathartic. Price 25 cents.

The fight for cheaper and better telephone service in Hopkinsville and Christian county will be a winning one if the people will do their part. The time to secure relief is in the coming election. Vote for no candidate who is not willing to pledge himself publicly to stand by the people. Vote against every candidate controlled by influences inimical to the public interests. Representatives for corporations are not the proper men to name councilmen whose duty requires them to regulate corporations.

Gen. King's Latest.

Gen. Charles King's latest novel, The Apache Princess, a tale of the Indian frontier, will be out this week from the press of The Hobart Company, New York. It is illustrated by Frederick Remington and Edison Willard Denning. These artists are unequalled and have a host of admirers. The book is published in one style of binding at \$1.50. It contains 330 pages and the mechanical make-up is of the same high standard as Gen. King's other books. The story opens at Camp Sandy, Arizona, in the serenos, Angela Wren, a daughter of Capt. Wren, is interested in Lieut. Neil Blakeley, of Capt Wren's troop. Capt. Wren heartily disapproves of him and is further prejudiced because of stories that the daughter of an Apache chief has become infatuated with him. While stationed at St. Louis, Blakeley was engaged to a society belle who threw him over and married Maj. Plume, who is commandant at Sandy. Mrs. Plume's old fondness is revived and she is at last by Blakeley's admiration for Angela. Around this situation the story is woven and it starts out at a furious rate of excitement, and grows more interesting throughout the twenty-seven chapters. Lieut. Wren marries Angela in the end, Natzie, the Indian girl, playing a conspicuous part to the end.

Irregular bowel movements breed disease in the body. You should purify and regulate the bowels by using Rickley's Ash Bitters. It is mildly cathartic and strengthens the stomach, liver and kidneys.

RESOLUTIONS.

Adopted By Asylum Board Upon
The Retirement of Receiver
O'Bryan.

Whereas, J. C. O'Bryan, a very efficient and capable receiver of the Western Kentucky Asylum for the insane, has tendered his resignation, and will soon sever his connection with said institution, and depart from our midst for other fields of labor, and activity. Now therefore be it resolved by the board of commissioners for the said Asylum that in accepting the resignation of Mr. O'Bryan, we take great pleasure in bearing testimony to his high character as a man, his eminent worth as a citizen, and the signal ability and fidelity with which he has discharged the duties of the office from which he is retiring. Be it further resolved that in going from among us Mr. O'Bryan will carry with him our sincerest wishes for his prosperity and happiness, and we commend him to being worthy of any position he may find it in accordance with his taste and judgment to seek.

Resolved that a copy of these resolutions be furnished Mr. O'Bryan, and also to the Hopkinsville papers for publication.
J. C. BUCKNER, Secty.

THREE IN A WEEK.

Homicides Becoming a Common Thing in Paducah.

Paducah, Ky., Sep. 11.—Paducah had her third homicide within a week this morning when George Jackson, colored, an ex-convict about 35 years old, was shot and killed by Willis Mount, son of Wm Mount, the Eddyville saloon keeper and formerly a citizen of Paducah and a member of the police force.

RECITAL AT BETHEL.

Musical Treat at Chapel College Friday Evening.

The recital at Bethel Female college Friday evening, by Misses Elizabeth Jones, Estelle Mooney and Lucy Starling, was a thoroughly delightful affair.

These young ladies, who constitute the music faculty of Bethel Female college, are all accomplished musicians. The programme was as follows:

- PART I.
1. Tanzeise, Meyer-Helmund Miss Jones.
(a) Wind Waves, Brackett (b) Mattiata, Toeti (c) The Nightingale Song, Miss Mooney.
2. Violin Solo, Berceuse from Jocelyn-Godard, Miss Starling.
3. Reading—Aux Italian, Owen Meredith Miss Mooney.
4. Kamensoi—Ostrow, Rubenstein Miss Jones.

- PART II.
1. (a) Happy Days (violin obligato) Strelzki (b) Song, Selected Miss Mooney.
2. Fruhlingsrauschen, Sinding Miss Jones.
3. Lascia Ch'io Pianga, Handel Miss Mooney.
4. Duet—"I Live and Love Thee" Miss Jones and Campagna Misses Mooney and Jones.

Miss Jones' selections were from composers of the highest standing and were such as to bring out the resources and thoroughness of the gifted musician.
Miss Mooney's selections gave her excellent opportunities to show the sweetness and flexibility of a rich, well trained voice.
Miss Starling's violin solos always charm her hearers and she never appeared to better advantage.

Miss Mooney's reading selection was one of the most entertaining and delightful features of the programme.

RUSSELLVILLE BOY.

Son of the Late W. C. Wilson, Commits Suicide in New York.

Russellville, Ky., Sept. 11.—Cline Wilson, the young artist who committed suicide in New York, was raised in this city, though he was a native of Cadiz. He was the oldest child of the late Capt. W. C. Wilson, and was regarded as a most promising and talented young artist. His oldest sister married a son of Gen. J. B. Briggs. Young Wilson's mother died last December, and left a large family, though she had an estate valued at \$17,000, the fear that the children might come to war is said to have preyed on his mind, and it is believed here that this fact was responsible for the young man's suicide.

Capt. Radford Ordered Home.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 11.—Capt. Cyrus S. Radford, of Kentucky, attached to the United States marine corps, and at present on duty at Cavite station, Philippine islands, has been ordered to return home where he will await further orders from the navy department.

SOFT CORE

Like the running brook, the red blood that flows through the veins has to come from somewhere. The springs of red blood are found in the soft core of the bones called the marrow and some say red blood also comes from the spleen. Healthy bone marrow and healthy spleen are full of fat.

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BENNETTSTOWN LETTER.

Budget of Newsy Little Items From South Christian.

Bennettstown, Ky., Sept. 10.—The farmers in this section are quite busy getting their tobacco in the house.

The drouth was broken to-day by a light rain, and while not enough to help the crops much, it settled the dust and cooled the atmosphere.

Miss Queenie Moss has returned to Bloomington, Ill., after an extended visit to her parents at this place.

Miss Minnie Brame opened school at this place last Monday with about twenty-five pupils in attendance.

Misses Mollie Brown Stevenson and Vivian Brame left last week for Bowling Green, Ky., and Lebanon, Tenn., where they will attend school.

Miss Lou Sherrill is visiting relatives near Church Hill this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Calhoun went to Hopkinsville to-day to see their sister, Mrs. Thompson, who is quite sick at her home on Campbell street.

Miss Jessie Stevenson is teaching school at Kennedy this session.

Miss Katie Moss is visiting her brother in Bowling Green.

Mrs. W. D. Carter and visitor, Miss Manie Stamper, spent last Thursday and Friday with the family of Mr. John R. Dickerson. Miss Stamper will return to this place the last of this week to spend a few days with Mrs. Clifton Calhoun.

Miss Pauline Stevenson left for your city last Sunday.

Miss Ruth Cooper and Mrs. Bettie Poqua, of Lafayette, are spending a few days with Miss Alice Coleman.

The hunting club held its annual meeting in "Flat Lick" last Wednesday. They report a good time but not much game.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Krentz, of Gracey, visited the family of Mr. Arnold Krentz this week.

If this escapes the waste basket I will write again. "ELSMERE."

Battleship Kentucky in Colors.

The Louisville, Henderson & St. Louis Railway has just had completed for distribution a large order of pictures of the Battleship Kentucky, which is a work of art and should be in every Kentucky home. The picture is reproduced from a very fine, large, copyrighted photograph by Mr. Enrique Mueller, the official photographer for the United States Navy taken as the ship is leaving New York harbor for a cruise. It is done in colors, the grey fighter slowly plowing its way through the carefully shaded green of the sea, and carrying at the top of her flagstaff, the stars and stripes in their natural red, white and blue.

It is admirably suited for framing, but as it is gotten out on heavy, finely enameled cardboard, it will prove an ornament to any home without framing. Six cents in postage sent to L. J. Irwin, G. P. A. of the popular Henderson Route, at Louisville, Ky., will bring this beautiful picture to your home.

DEPUTY ASSESSORS

Appointed and Work of Tacking Lists Begins Today.

County Assessor R. A. Cook has appointed the following deputies: District No. 1, R. M. Meacham; No. 2, S. E. Everett; No. 3, O. N. Boyd; No. 5, O. A. Hamby. Assessor Cook will look after Hopkinsville, which is No. 4. The appointments will enter upon their duties today. Mr. L. E. Barnes will be in the assessor's office at all times for the transaction of business and Mr. Cook will also be in his office every Monday.

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Yours truly,

W. T. Bonte.

Illinois Central Railway. TIME TABLE.

No. 338, daily.	No. 340, daily except Sunday.
Lv. Hopkinsville 6:40 a. m.	Lv. Hopkinsville 4:30 p. m.
Ar. Princeton 7:40 "	Ar. Princeton 4:42 "
" Paducah 9:25 "	Lv. Princeton 3:43 a. m.
" Cairo 11:35 "	" Louisville 7:50 "
" St. Louis 5:16 p. m.	" Princeton 2:43 "
" Chicago 10:00 "	Ar. Memphis 8:20 "
	" New Orleans 7:55 p. m.
No. 334, daily.	No. 336, Sunday only.
Lv. Hopkinsville 11:30 a. m.	Lv. Hopkinsville 3:40 p. m.
Ar. Princeton 12:35 p. m.	Ar. Princeton 4:42 "
" Henderson 5:30 "	Lv. Princeton 4:47 "
" Evansville 6:15 "	Ar. Memphis 8:20 "
Lv. Princeton 12:43 "	" New Orleans 7:55 p. m.
Ar. Louisville 5:35 p. m.	
Lv. Princeton 2:47 p. m.	
Ar. Paducah 3:45 "	
" Memphis 10:50 "	
" New Orleans 10:00 a. m.	
No. 341, daily except Sunday, arrives 7:50 a. m.	No. 335, Sunday only, 10:35 "
No. 335, Sunday only, 3:20 p. m.	No. 333, daily, 11:10 "
No. 331, daily, 11:10 "	
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MUST NOT "KEEP COMPANY"

Marionette Priest Lays Down Stern Rules for Young Charges.

Marionette, Wis., Sept. 6.—Rev. Father Lochman, pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes church, the English-speaking Roman Catholic congregation of this city, has made the announcement from the pulpit that any boy or girl in the parochial school "keeping c.m.p." will be immediately expelled, and if they attend any dance during the school year they will suffer the same punishment.

Father Lochman ended his sermon by denouncing the practice of young people parading the streets at night, which he said was productive of more evil than all the other influences combined.

NEGRO KILLED

In Montgomery County Sunday Morning.

Clarksville, Tenn., Sept. 8.—Near Southside, this county, Sunday morning, Ned Holmes and Bill Parchman, farm hands, renewed a grudge of old standing. During the quarrel which ensued, Holmes hit Parchman over the head with a large fence rail, producing a wound from which Parchman died Sunday night. Holmes was arrested, brought to this city, and placed in the county jail. Parchman was about 40 years of age, and leaves a wife and several children.

Released Saturday.

John W. Foster, released Saturday from Lakeland Asylum as cured, has not yet reached home in Richmond, Ky.

A Remarkable Record.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has a remarkable record. It has been in use for over thirty years, during which time many millions of bottles have been sold and used. It has long been the standard and main reliance in the treatment of croup in thousands of homes, yet during all this time no case has ever been reported to the manufacturers in which it failed to effect a cure. When given as soon as the child becomes hoarse or even as soon as the cough appears, it will prevent the attack. It is pleasant to take, many children like it. It contains no opium or other harmful substance and may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. For sale by C. K. Wyly, druggist.

Motion Made in Cynthiaiana Court.

A motion was made in court at Cynthiaiana that a rule be issued against Jasper King, the juror who saved Curtis Jett's neck, to show cause why he should not be called to answer for contempt for talking about the case before the evidence was all in.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Body Found.

The decomposing body of Addie Broyles, twenty years old, was found at a brick pit in Louisville. A bottle labeled carbolic acid told the story of suicide.

No need for fear sudden attacks of cholera, infant dysentery, diarrhea, rheuma, summer complaint of any sort if you have Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry in the medicine chest.

Killed and Wounded.

One man was killed and two others probably fatally wounded in an accident in the Reinecke mines, near Madisonville.

LAX-FOS For the Kidney's, Liver and Stomach.

Decided The Franchise Tax.

Attorney General Pratt has decided the franchise tax assessment suit of the Illinois Central railroad in Kentucky in favor of the railroad.

CASTORIA The Kind You Have Always Bought.

On Trial.

The cases of the men alleged to have participated in the riot at Evansville last July are on trial.

ONE'S VOCABULARY.

Can Be Easily Estimated by Consulting a Pocket Dictionary.

There often appears in print an item which reads somewhat like this: "An ordinary man will say everything that any occasion calls for with a vocabulary of 1,000 words. Of these he commonly uses but 400 or 500, reserving the remainder for the emergency of an idea out of his usual line of thought."

In accordance with this is a statement made by a speaker at an educational meeting. "The best educated person in this room will not use more than 600 or 700 words." And he added that an ignorant man would not use more than 300 or 400. Some years ago a writer in the Chautauquan said: "It is estimated that an English farm-hand has a vocabulary limited to 300 words. An American workman who reads the newspaper may command from 700 to 1,000 words. Five thousand is a large number, even for an educated reader or a speaker." This is a step forward, yet it still seems a far cry to Shakespeare's vocabulary of 15,000 words, or even to Milton's 9,000.

Anyone may, says the Indianapolis Journal, with a little trouble, estimate the number of words whose meanings would be plain to him in print or speech. Of the writer's vocabulary an estimate was made in this way: An abridged dictionary was used because almost all unusual words would thereby be at once eliminated.

Under each letter of the alphabet a page or more of words was selected at random and counted. A separate record was kept of primitive and derivative words. That is, among the former was put measure; among the latter measurable, measurableness, measurably, measurer, unmeasurable, unmeasurably, unmeasured. Compound words, whose meanings were clearly indicated by their component, were omitted; as, clock-work, draught-horse, hard-earned. Counting this way an average of 20 primitive and 35 derivative words was found on each page. This would make, there being 814 pages of vocabulary in the dictionary, a total of 10,240 of the former and 28,490 of the latter, or almost 48,000 in all.

Next was taken a page in each letter and it was counted the words which it seemed any person of average intelligence would be able to use and understand. On 24 pages there were 268 primitive words and 231 derivative, or nearly 9,000 in all of the former and more than 7,000 of the latter. And lastly was made a count of very common words, such as even a poorly educated person could hardly escape knowing, and they were found to number 5,700 primitive and 3,200 derivative. No proper names were included in any of the countings.

It would therefore seem to follow if what we are told of the vocabularies of Shakespeare and Milton be correct, that a person of average education to-day knows at least as many words as did the former, and one whose school opportunities have been quite limited is capable of walking beside the latter in this respect. As regards ideas and the ability to express them, however, the difference may be wide.

The foregoing facts seem to warrant these general conclusions: Every well-read person of fair ability and education will be able to define or to understand as used nearly or quite, perhaps more than, 50,000 words. And the same person in conversation and writing will command not fewer than 15,000 to 20,000, and add 5,000 to 10,000 to these numbers if he is literally inclined. The plain people, as Lincoln liked to call them, use or read understandingly from 8,000 to 10,000 words, according to their general intelligence and conversational power, while a person who cannot read, but who has a good degree of native mental ability, will command about 5,000.

Proof Positive.

Handiman—Whisky is all very well in its way. It's a very good stimulant, but there's no nourishment in it—nothing in the least strengthening.

Softiman—Isn't there, by Jove! I had a ten gallon cask of Scotch whisky sent to me about three weeks ago, and I've been drinking nothing else, and when it came I could scarcely lift it into position—last yesterday, when I wanted to move it, I found that I could carry it easily. What do you say to that?—Ally Sloper.

Few Lunatics There.

Egypt, with ten million people, has only one lunatic asylum.

THE DETECTIVE INSTINCT.

Some Civilians Are Better Sleuths Than Many Professionals.

"The detective instinct is inborn in some people," observed an old detective to a New Orleans Times-Democrat reporter, "and it is a rather curious thing when you think about it, too. Whether or not the qualities are inherent in these men I cannot say. I have known good detectives, naturally so, who were never connected in any manner with the service. They possess to a large degree all the mental qualities of a detective, quickness to grasp a situation, keen perception, rapidity of thought, strongly developed power of deduction and extreme nervous activity. While it is true that all great detectives acquired distinction through hard work and unflinching application to their work, it is also true that many men have the detective impulse firmly welded into their natures so that it will crop out in spite of themselves. And I may say in passing, that it is useful to them in many ways, for not only detectives, but business men of every description frequently need those peculiar faculties which go to make up a criminal chaser. But this is digressing. I once knew a man who had the instinct so strongly developed that he thought of nothing else than the unraveling of mysteries and chasing clues. He found something of interest in the slightest case of theft reported to the police, and would amuse himself by working it out. It became a mania with him, and he was a source of fun to the officers, while not infrequently he gave them valuable assistance. There was never a murder day or night that he was not among the first on the scene. He listened with attentive ear to every little detail, placed his nose close to the ground or floor, scrutinized every scratch or crack in the earth for a space of ten or fifteen feet around, or peered into every nook and corner of the room. He would examine the walls, move every piece of bric-a-brac, picture or what not, and make a note of all spots and scratches to be found immediately around the scene of the tragedy. Then he would disappear mysteriously. Sometimes it would be several days before he would be seen again. He would turn up with a clew or a plausible solution of the crime. On one occasion when a murder had occurred a few miles in the country from the city, we were all surprised to find this fellow there when we arrived. The body of the victim was found in an old cistern. He had fully grasped the case and began to relate how it happened to us as if he had witnessed it, and he had it about right, too. He had his notebook full of entries of marks, blood spots, locations, directions, distance in feet, wall marks and other data necessary in working out the case, and we had the murderer under arrest in 15 minutes. I have seen others like him, and I have often wondered what circumstances, if any, in life caused them to yield to this impulse, while they were pursuing some other vocation as a livelihood."

THE OCEAN'S BED.

What Scientists Find in The Sea Off the Cornwall Coast.

Along the British coast of Cornwall, at low tide, wide areas of peat are exposed, in which are found, partly carbonized, the remains of a submerged forest and swamp, says Mines and Minerals. Trunks of oak trees and acorns are dug up, mingled with bones and horns of deer, and the remains of the great prehistoric elk; and with them are found relics of a later date in the ancient British weapons and Roman coins and implements. Here is a coal bed in process of formation, of consolidation, and of carbonization. The basin of the ocean is a general dumping place for the rivers of the land, hence in some regions vast quantities of terrestrial vegetation are bound, by dredging, to be strewn over the sea bottom, even to depths of 200 fathoms and at distances of several miles from land. In dredging in the Atlantic and Pacific oceans Agassiz found that hardly a single haul of the dredge failed to bring up much vegetable matter, such as logs, branches, twigs, seeds, leaves and fruit. In the peat beds we have mentioned into which probably ran some of the ancient rivers of Cornwall, considerable stream tin is sometimes found, and instances are on record of the horns of deer having been found replaced by tin ore.

Useless Efforts.

Every effort is not crowned with success and many of them do not deserve to be.—Chicago Journal.

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GRIEF OF THE TINY WOMAN.

She Can't Get Ready-Made Garments. Which Will Fit Her.

This is the day of the big woman. The little woman when she goes shopping finds herself shut out from many of the advantages of her larger sisters. In bargain sales, particularly, says the New York Sun, she can have no part. All the ready-made things displayed so temptingly in the shops are in also termed "regular," which are far outside the small woman's dimensions. And the average measure for woman's stature has become larger within the last decade. So that the shopping troubles of the little woman of the future promise to be even greater than they are today.

The little woman does not realize probably how far behind the standard she is until she applies to look at suits or coats, or until she discovers that even so commonplace a thing as a leather belt cannot be got for her unless a cobbler be petitioned to inset a few additional eyelets that it may be fastened at the desired point.

"For a woman to be nobly planned is just so much money in her pocket these times," sighed a little woman, lately. "I miss it all around."

For a small woman to buy a ready-made skirt means practically that she must have it made from top to bottom to insure anything like symmetry. And the same thing with coats, jackets, mackintoshes or other desirable.

The ready-made corset for the little woman is an impossibility. And the dressmaker and the tailor are so accustomed now to making for big women or nearly big women, that only by making several garments successively for the little woman does it seem to get through their heads that she is planned on a small and more delicate scale, for which allowances must be made.

The little woman who is properly proportioned has trouble enough to get things to hang on. But the bulkiness of the little woman who is out of plumb in her dimensions are threefold. She of the overlong waist or overlong arms and overlong legs and hips is likely to be months trying for a fit. Only if she be absurdly stout she may happen to get hold of a big woman's coat or gown in which her additional breadth may serve to take up the length and so simplify the alterations needed. All things considered, the fat little woman of the stocky order has a better chance than the thin or barely plump sister.

There are some phases and aspects in life in which the little woman might stand a fair show with her sisters who take up more space to face the world—this on the principle that little things can sometimes edge where big ones can't. But in shopping the little woman is handicapped.

Sport in Portugal.

Prominent among the king of Portugal's varied tastes, says the London Chronicle, is an English passion for sport of all kinds and it is known that once even, when duke of Braganza, he entered the ring to face a bull "with no less intention" that is, say, not padded, as is generally the case in Portugal as distinguished from Spain. One of the ladies of the court had dared the duke to face a bull with his horns unguarded, and so he entered the arena in the Spanish manner—ineognito, though everyone knew who the bold banderillo was. Unfortunately the duke slipped and fell, but starting up, before the bull could charge again, he ran for the barricade, and cleared it at a bound just a moment or two before the infuriated animal splinted the woodwork with his horns.

Death Claims Mother and Son.

Mrs. John Grimes and her son, Clarence, died the same night of consumption at their home, near Danville.

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Pringle's Famous Georgia Min-
strels, which has met with so much
success everywhere they have ap-
peared all over the country, and
which is now on its twenty-eighth
annual tour, will open the season
at Holland's Opera House next Sat-
urday, Sept. 19, with two perform-
ances, a matinee in the afternoon
and the regular performance at
night.

In all the long years that Rich-
ards Pringle's Famous Georgia
Minstrels have been before the pub-
lic, they have never offered such a
strong array of talent as the one
that makes up this season's orga-
nization.

They bring many new people,
acts and novelties this year, only
retaining from last season those
that "made good" with the public
and press.

The scenery used in the opening
or "First Part," as it is common-
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in this largest hotel in the world,
are giving an entertainment to
the 3,000 guests. This is
the greatest minstrel opening ever
seen with this company.

The prices of admission will be
25 and 50 cents for balcony and 50
and 75 cents for the lower floor
seats. The balcony will be reserved
for colored people only. Seats on
sale at Postal telegraph office.
There will be a street parade at 11
a. m. and a grand free concert in
front of the opera house at 7 p. m.

DIED OF DROPSY.

Illness Was of Only a Few Days
Duration.

Noah Anderson died near Larkin
last Friday, after a brief illness,
of Dropsy. He was about 60 years
old and had only been in the neigh-
borhood a few weeks, having come
to Larkin from Union county. The
interment took place in the Hamby
burying ground Saturday.

Tragedy Averted.

"Just in the nick of time our little
boy was saved" writes Mrs. W.
Watkins of Pleasant City, Ohio.
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in besides. Doctors treated him,
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FIRE IN TRIGG.

Log Tobacco Barn and Contents
Destroyed By Flames.

A barn containing four acres of
tobacco belonging to W. P. Futrell,
near Golden Pond, Trigg county,
caught fire from sparks while crop
was being fired, and building and
contents were destroyed. The loss
is about \$300.

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Numerous Notes Chronicled For Kentuckian Readers.

Gracey, Ky., Sept. 14.—Miss
Cornelia Chambers started up her
school here last week with an en-
rollment of about 50 pupils.

Mr. W. J. Hopson, of the firm of
Hopson Bros., has returned from
the Eastern markets, where he
spent some time purchasing fall
and winter goods.

Mr. B. F. Skees, of Elizabeth-
town, who was recently appointed
I. C. agent at this place, arrived
with his sisters and brother last
week and has taken charge of the
office. They have gone to house-
keeping in a cottage just North of
the I. C. depot.

The Gracey ball team won two
games from Cadiz, played at Cadiz
Saturday. The first game was
given to Gracey by the score of 9 to
0. In this game Cadiz failed to
show up on the grounds when the
game was called, thus forfeiting.
In the second game was played
out, the score being 19 to 18. Geo.
Wilson was umpire.

Mr. H. C. McGehee has returned
from St. Louis, where he bought
largely of general merchandise,
and from the way new goods are
now rolling in we think Hugh will
have to double deck his store from
bottom to top. But he seems to be
all smiles and says he intends to
stick to the motto: "Sell cheap and
sell a heap, and keep eternally at
it." He says he will have the
cheapest line of goods ever brought
to Gracey. This year Mr. Mc-
Gehee purchased nearly all of his
stock in St. Louis, it being the best
market for this section, he thinks,
and he ought to know, as he has
been in the business a long time
and has bought in nearly every
market in the United States.

Town Marshal H. H. Cox ar-
rested three men Saturday after-
noon on a warrant charging them
with having fired pistols on the
public highway on the afternoon of
August 27, causing Mr. J. P.
Meacham's team to run off. Their
names are Curtis Kirby, Abe Wil-
son and Taylor Vester. The men
are all colored and live in Trigg
county. They furnished bond in
the sum of \$25 each for their ap-
pearance before the county judge of
Christian next Friday. William
Wharton, col., charged in the war-
rant with the same offense, has not
yet been arrested. Buck Roe.

More Riots.

Disturbances of strikers are not
nearly as grave as an individual
disorder of the system. Overwork,
loss of sleep, nervous tension will
be followed by utter collapse, un-
less a reliable remedy is immedi-
ately employed. There's nothing
so efficient to cure disorders of the
liver or kidneys as Electric Bit-
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pels malarial germs. Only 50c, and
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Hardwick, Druggist.

CAPT. S. S. LANDER

Now Doing Ticket Punching On
Cadiz Road.

Capt. T. W. Gunn, conductor on
the Cadiz road, is taking a month's
vacation. During his lay off Capt.
S. S. Lander, of this city has
charge of the train. Capt. Lander
was formerly conductor on the
Clarksville and Gracey branch of
the L. & N., and held down the
run between Clarksville and Prince-
ton some years ago.

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